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Big Bay Point to Redridge

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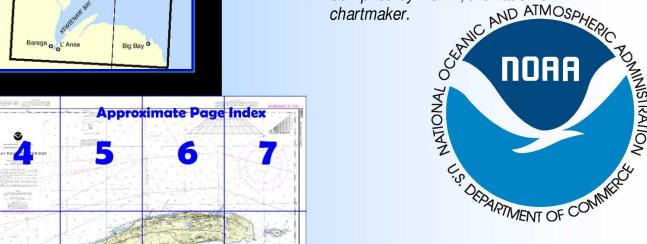


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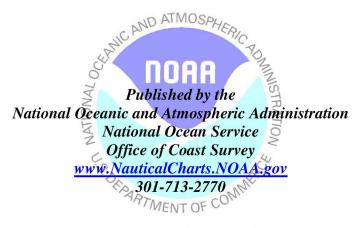
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This BookletChart is made to help recreational boaters locate themselves on the water. It has been reduced in scale for convenience, but otherwise contains all the information of the full-scale nautical chart. The bar scales have also been reduced, and are accurate when used to measure distances in this BookletChart. See the Note at the bottom of page 5 for the reduction in scale applied to this chart.

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Notice to Mariners Correction Status

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[Coast Pilot 6, Chapter 13 excerpts] (131) Big Bay Point (46°50.6'N., 87°41.0'W.), marked by a light, is 22 miles NW of Presque Isle Point. A shoal with a depth of 9 feet at the outer end extends 1.1 miles N from the point. A buoy marks the N end of the shoal. Big Bay, is a deep bight enclosed by Big Bay Point on the E and Salmon Trout Point on the W. The S and W shores have deep water within 0.3 mile. (137) Huron Islands are a group of small islands centered 5 miles NW of Huron River

Point near the entrance to Huron Bay. The islands are all bold and deepto except for the easternmost of the group, from which rocks awash extend 0.3 mile SE. **Huron Island Light**, 197 feet above the water, is shown from a gray granite tower on a dwelling on the northwesternmost of the island group.

- (138) **Huron Bay**, extending about 12 miles SW into the shoreline, is about 3 miles wide at the mouth and narrows to about 0.5 mile at the head. The bay has deep water within 0.5 mile of shore in the outer part, and the shores become deep-to in the inner part. **Point Abbaye** is the point at the outer end of the peninsula that separates the W side of Huron Bay from Keweenaw Bay.
- (139) **Huron Bay Light** marks the outer end of a small projection of land on the SE side of the bay about 6 miles SW of Point Abbaye.
- (142) **Keweenaw Bay** extends about 22 miles SW on the NW side of Point Abbaye and is enclosed on the W by the inner end of the E side of Keweenaw Peninsula. The bay is 12 miles wide at the entrance and has a minimum width of 1.1 miles abreast Sand Point, about 2.3 miles from the head of the bay. The E shore of the bay has deep water within 0.4 mile and the W shore within 0.7 mile.
- (175) **Portage Coast Guard Station** is on the E side of the waterway about 0.2 mile W of the lift bridge at Hancock.
- (178) **Little Traverse Bay** is a semicircular bight about 2 miles wide on the SW side of Traverse Point. The bay provides protection from W to NE winds and has a sandy bottom. **Grand Traverse Bay** is a broad indentation on the N side of Traverse Point. A shoal with a depth of 14 feet at the outer edge extends 1.1 miles from the N shore of the bay. In 1965, the ruins of a coal dock, covered 1½ feet, were reported to extend about 150 feet from shore near the NW corner of the bay. A stack at the village of **Gay, Mich.**, just N of the bay, is prominent.
- (179) **Grand Traverse Bay Harbor** is a small-craft harbor near the center of the W shore of Grand Traverse Bay at the mouth of the **Traverse River**, about 18 miles NE of the lower entrance to Keweenaw Waterway.
- (182) From the N side of Grand Traverse Bay, the shore extends NE for about 15 miles to **Point Isabelle** (47°20.7'N., 87°56.2'W.). Shoals extend as much as 0.7 mile from shore in this stretch. Point Isabelle forms the S side of Bete Grise Bay. A shallow rocky bank extends 0.9 mile NE from the point and is marked at the outer edge by a buoy.
- (183) **Bete Grise Bay** extends 2 miles W on the N side of Point Isabelle. The S shore is low and rocky, the W shore low and sandy, and the N shore bluff and rocky. The bay has good holding ground with protection from W to NE winds. **Mount Houghton** and **Mount Bohemia**, N and WNW of the bay, respectively, are prominent. A fire tower is on Mount Bohemia.
- (184) **Lac La Belle Harbor** is at the head of Bete Grise Bay, about 36 miles NE of the lower entrance to Keweenaw Waterway. A dredged canal leads from the head of the bay W for about 0.7 mile to **Lac La Belle**, a small inland lake about 2.5 miles long, 1 mile wide, and up to 37 feet deep. An abandoned lighthouse is on the S side of the canal about 0.2 mile W of the entrance.
- (188) From the head of Bete Grise Bay, the shore extends E for about 11.5 miles to **Keweenaw Point** (47°24.1'N., 87°43.0'W.), the E extremity of Keweenaw Peninsula. This stretch is generally bold and deep-to. Elevations to 600 feet are close to the water. A boulder ledge, covered 3 feet, extends 0.4 mile S from Keweenaw Point and is marked on the SE side by a lighted buoy. **Keystone Bay**, just W of Keweenaw Point, has good holding ground with protection from W to NE winds.
- (189) **Manitou Island**, 3 miles long and up to 1.4 miles wide, has its W end 2.8 miles E of Keweenaw Point. The deepwater passage between the point and the island is 1.8 miles wide. **Manitou Light** (47°25.2'N., 87°35.2'W.), 81 feet above the water, is shown from a white cylindrical tower on the E point of the island. A fog signal, radiobeacon, and radar beacon (Racon) are at the light.
- (194) **Copper Harbor Light** (47°28.5'N., 87°51.6'W.), 90 feet above the water, is shown from a white skeleton tower near a white dwelling on the E entrance point.
- (196) **Copper Harbor, Mich.**, is a village on the SW side of Copper Harbor. A public docking facility developed by the Michigan State Waterways Commission at the village provides berths, gasoline,

water, electricity, sewage pump-out, and a launching ramp. The harbormaster monitors VHF-FM channels 16 and 9.



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RADAR REFLECTORS

Radar reflectors have been placed on many floating aids to navigation. Individual radar reflector identification on these aids has been omitted from this chart.

SUBMARINE PIPELINES AND CABLES Charted submarine pipelines and submarine cables and submarine pipeline and cable areas

Pipeline Area

Cable Area

Additional uncharted submarine pipelines and submarine cables may exist within the area of this chart. Not all submarine pipelines and submarine cables are required to be buried, and those that were originally buried may have become exposed. Mariners should use extreme caution when operating vessels in depths of water careful and the second of the se and cables may exist, and when anchoring, drag

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CAUTION

Limitations on the use of radio signals as aids to marine navigation can be found in the U.S. Coast Guard Light Lists and National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency Publication 117. Radio direction-finder bearings to commercial

broadcasting stations are subject to error and should be used with caution

Station positions are shown thus:

(Accurate location) o(Approximate location)

CAUTION

Temporary changes or defects in aids to navigation are not indicated on this chart. See Local Notice to Mariners. During some winter months or when endan-gered by ice, certain aids to navigation are replaced by other types or removed. For details see U.S. Coast Guard Light List.

CAUTION

Improved channels shown by broken lines are subject to shoaling, particularly at the edges.

CAUTION

POTABLE WATER INTAKE (PWI)

Vessels operating in fresh water lakes or rivers shall not discharge sewage, or ballast, or bilge water within such areas adjacent to domestic water intakes as are designated by the Commissioner of Food and Drugs (21 CFR 1250.93). Consult U. S. Coast Pilot 6 for important supplemental information.

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Coast Pilot 6. Additions or revisions to Chapter 2 are published in the Notices to Mariners. Information concerning
the regulations may be obtained at the Office of the Commander, 9th Coast Guard District in Cleveland, Ohlo, or
at the Office of the District Engineer, Corps of Engineers in
Detroil Michigan etroit, Michigan.

Refer to charted regulation section numbers.

NOAA WEATHER RADIO BROADCASTS

The NOAA Weather Radio stations listed below provide continuous weather broadcasts. The reception range is typically 20 to 40 nautical miles from the antenna site, but can be as much as 100 nautical miles for stations at high elevations.

Marquette, Mi. KIG-66 Houghton, Mi. WXK-73

162.55 MHz (Chan. WX-1) 162.40 MHz (Chan. WX-2)

NOTE NO-DISCHARGE ZONE 40 CER 140

NO-DISCHARGE ZONE, 40 CFR 140
Michigan waters of Lakes Michigan, Huron, Superior,
Frie and St. Clair, all waterways connected thereto, and all
inland lakes are designated as a No-Discharge Zone (NDZ).
This chart falls entirely within the limits of a No-Discharge
Zone (NDZ). Under the Clean Water Act, Section 312, all
vessels operating within a No-Discharge Zone (NDZ) are
completely prohibited from discharging any sewage, treated
or untreated, into the waters. Commercial vessel sewage
shall include graywater. All vessels with an installed marine
sanitation device (MSD) that are navigating, moored,
anchored, or docked within a NDZ must have the MSD
disabled to prevent the overboard discharge of sewage
(treated or untreated) or install a holding tank. Regulations
for the NDZ are contained in the U-S. Coast Pilot.
Additional information concerning the regulations and
requirements may be obtained from the Environmental
Protection Agency (EPA) web site: http://www.epa.gov/
owow/oceans/vessel_sewage/vsdnozone.html.

Table of Selected Chart Notes

The prudent mariner will not rely solely on any single aid to navigation, particularly on floating aids. See U.S. Coast Guard Light List and U.S. Coast Pilot 6 for details.

POLLUTION REPORTS

Report all spills of oil and hazardous substances to the National Response Center via 1-800-424-8802 (toll free), or to the nearest U.S. Coast Guard facility if telephone communication is impossible (33 CFR

CAUTION

Due to periodic high water conditions in the Great Lakes, some features charted as visible at Low Water Datum may be submerged, particularly in the near shore areas. Mariners should proceed with

NOTE B

The channel legend reflects the Corps of Engineers project depth. The Corps of Engineers publishes the controlling depth periodically in the U.S. Coost Guard Local Notice to Mariners. For further information on channel depths, direct inquiriers to Office of the District Engineer, Corps of Engineers, Detroit, Michigan.

HORIZONTAL DATUM

The horizontal reference datum of this chart is North American Datum of 1983 (NAD 83), which for charting purposes is considered equivalent to the World Geodetic System 1984 (MSG 84), Geographic positions referred to the North American Datum of 1927 must be corrected an average of 0.270° southward and 0.442° westward to agree with this chart.

Most of the hydrography identified by the letter "I" was surveyed by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers prior to 1974. Channels currently maintained by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers are periodically resurveyed and are not shown on this diagram. Refer to Chapter 1, <u>United States Coast Pilot</u>.

Sailing courses and limits indicated in magenta are recommended by the Lake Carriers Association and the Canadian Shipowners Association.



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SYMBOLS AND ABBREVIATIONS. For complete list of symbols and abbreviations see Chart No. 1.

NOTES

PLANE OF REFERENCE OF THIS CHART (Low Water Datum) . Referred to mean water level at Rimouski, Quebec, International Great Lakes Datum (1985).

SAILING DIRECTIONS. Bearings of sailing courses are true and distances given thereon are in statute miles between points of departure.

AUTHORITIES. Hydrography and topography by the National Ocean Service, Coast Survey, with additional data from the Corps of Engineers, Geological Survey, and U.S. Coast

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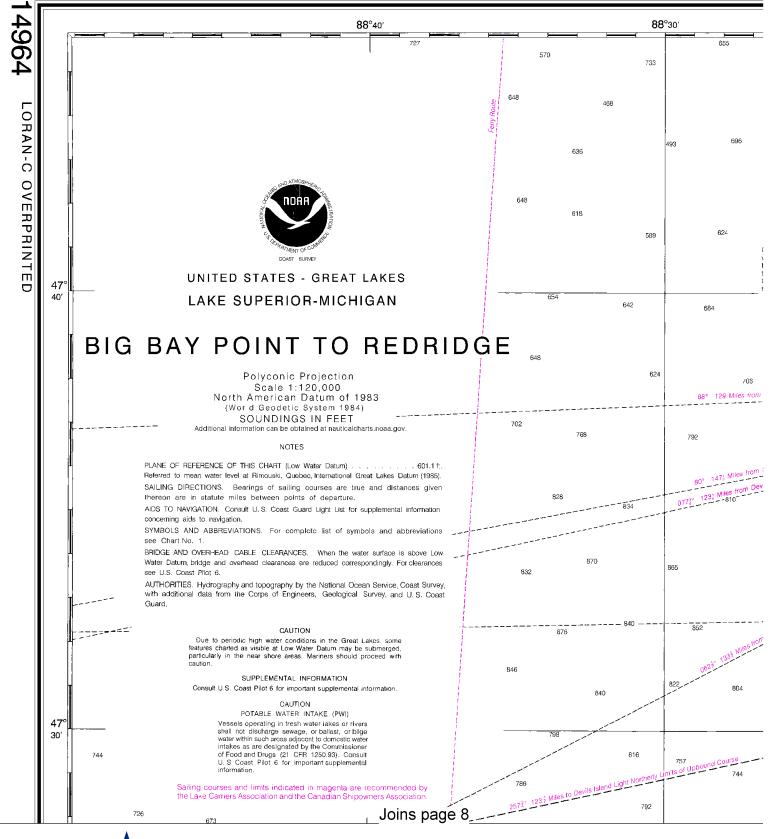
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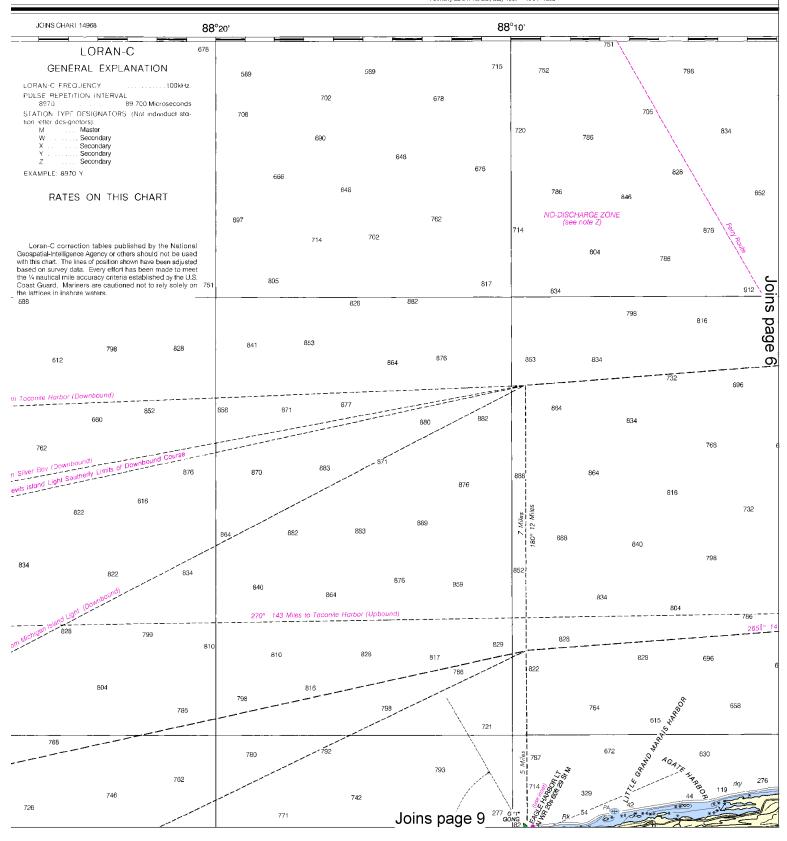
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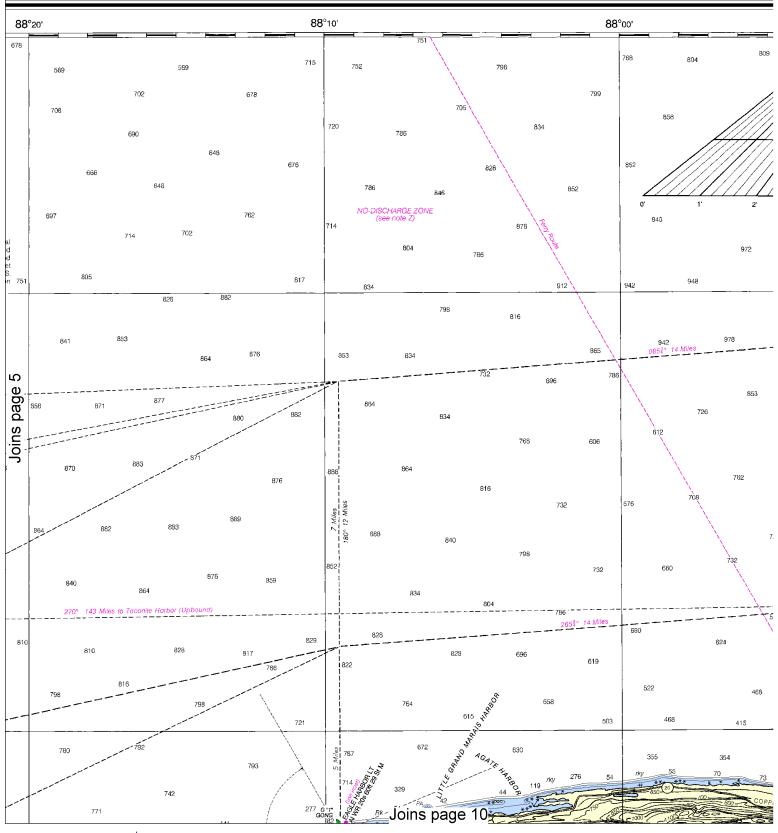
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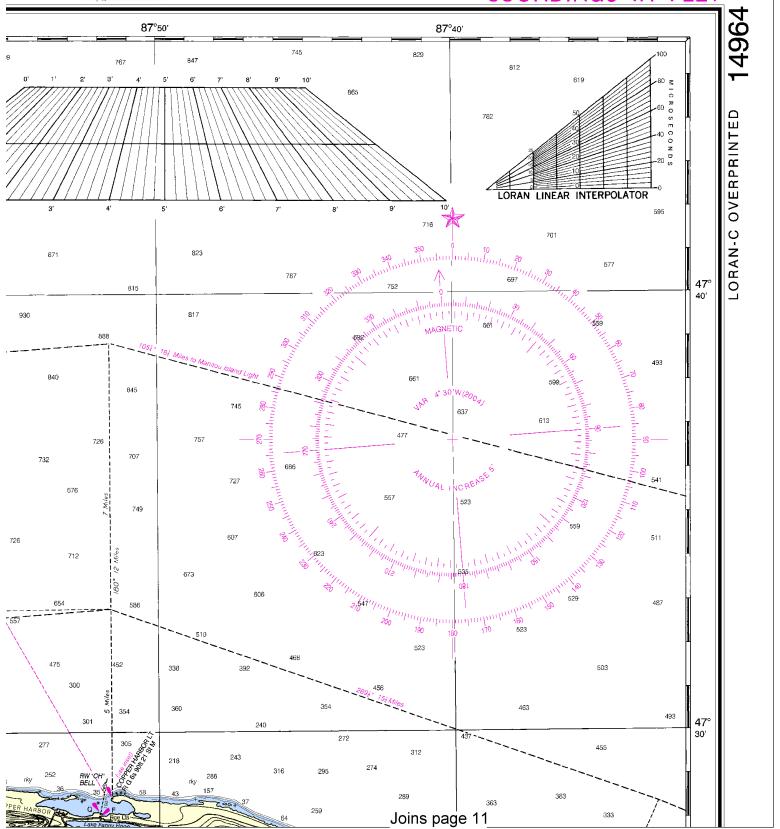


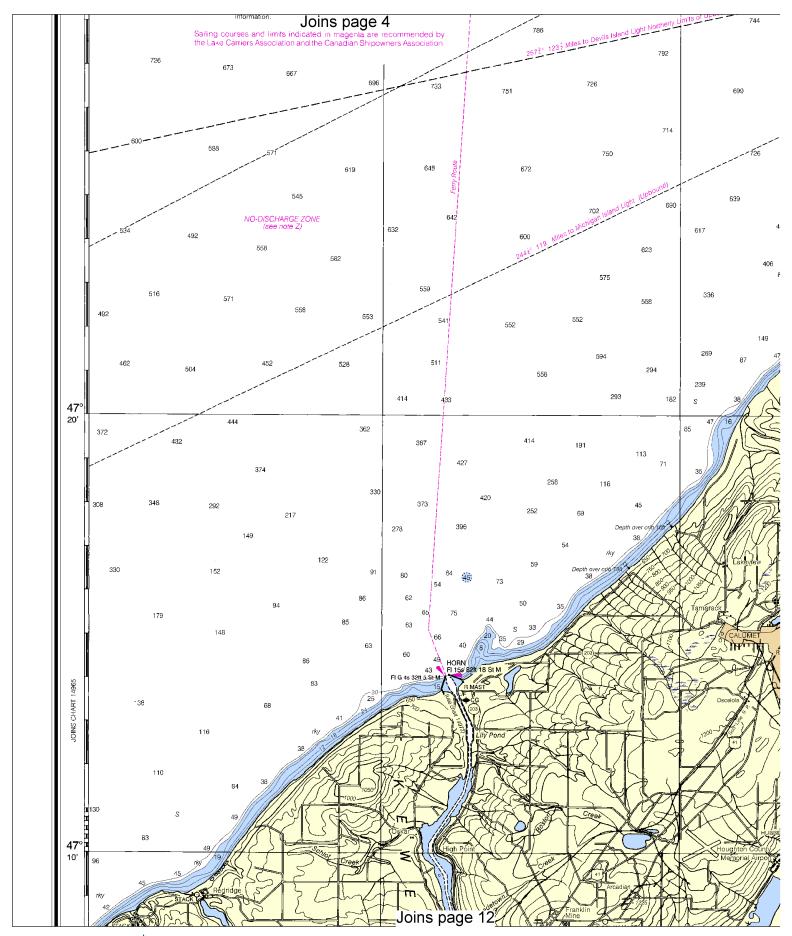
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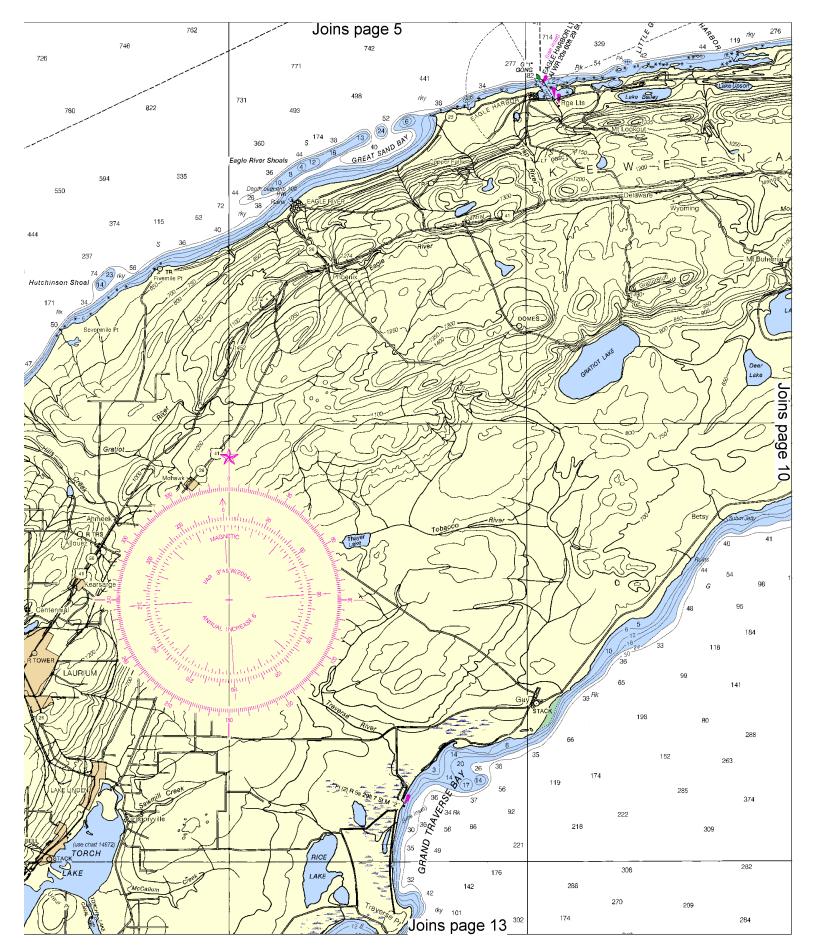
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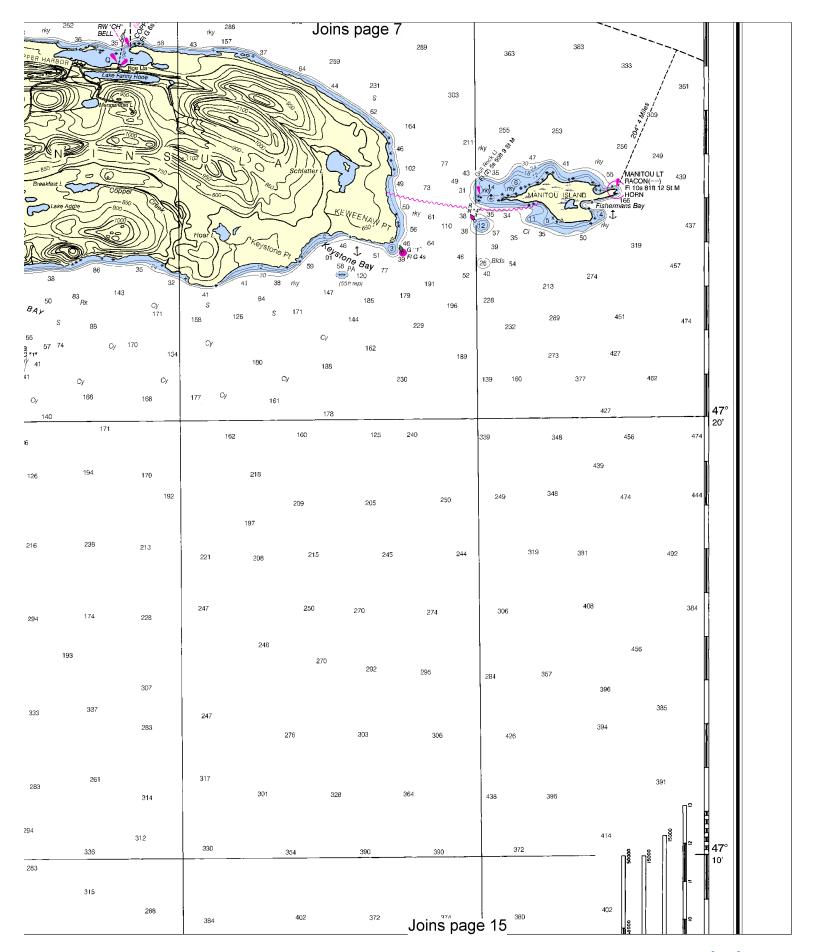


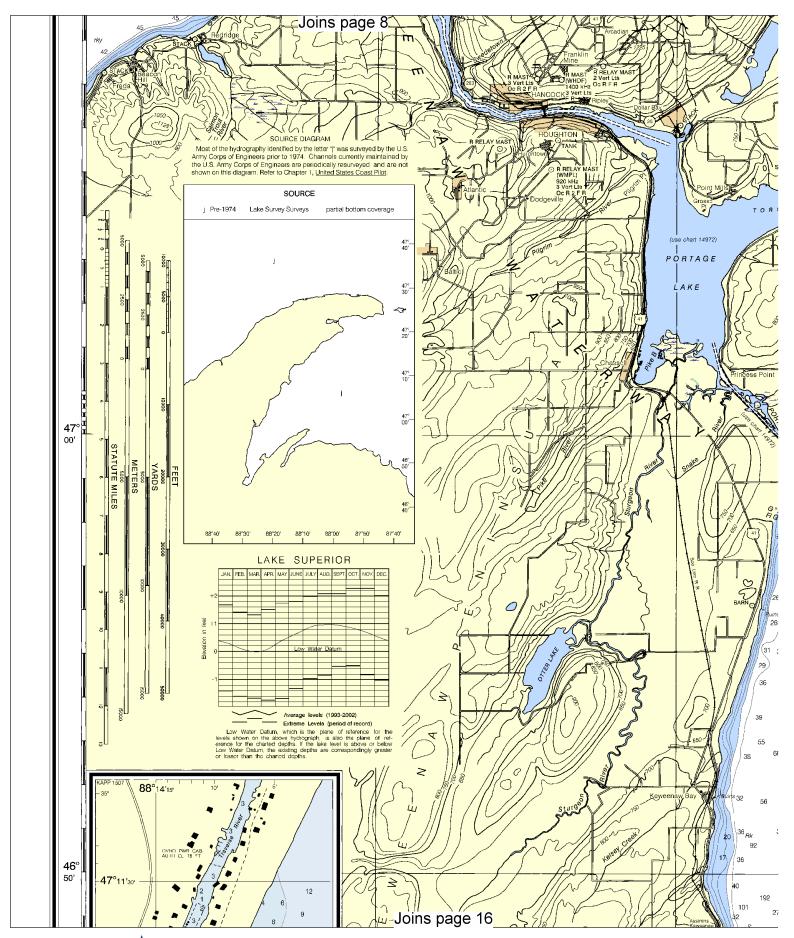




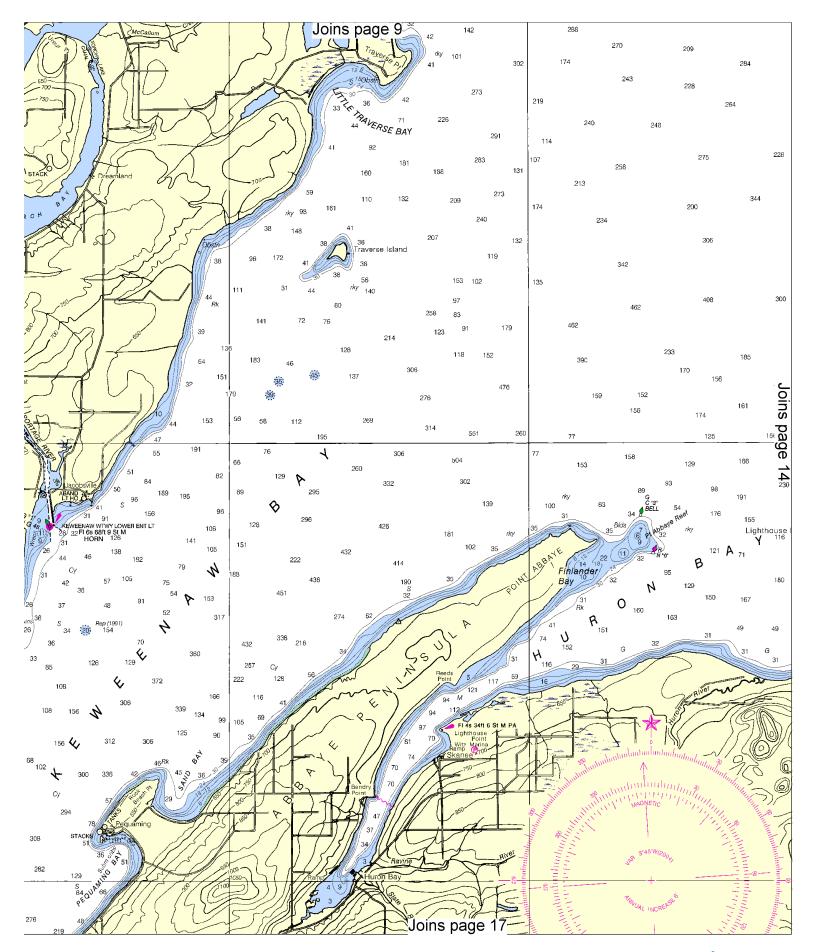


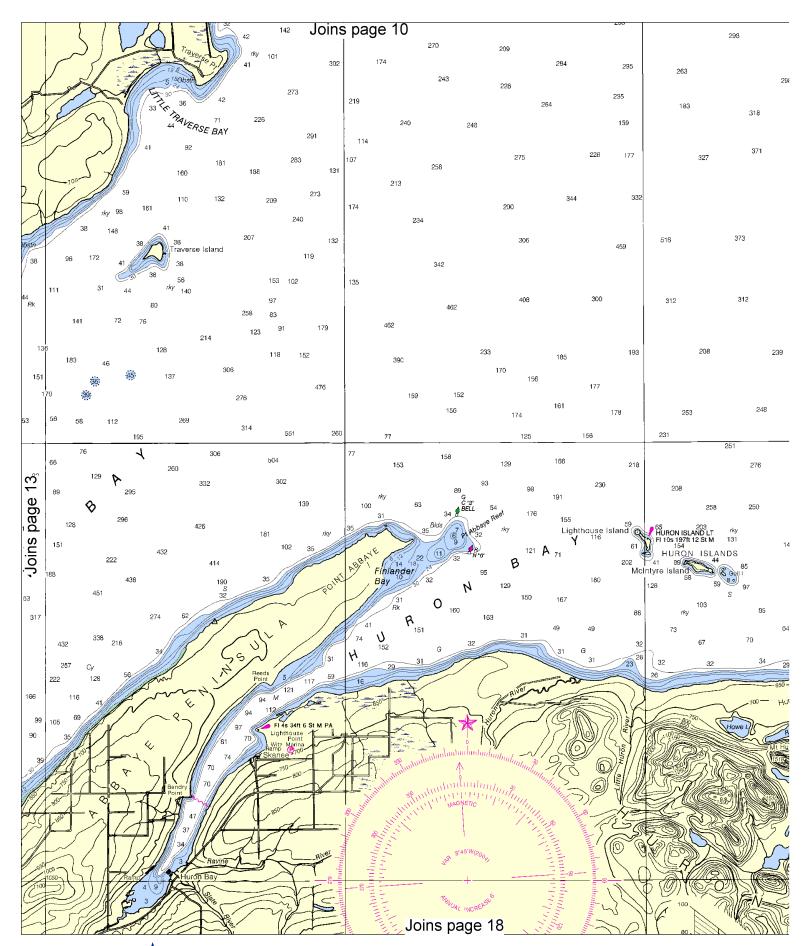






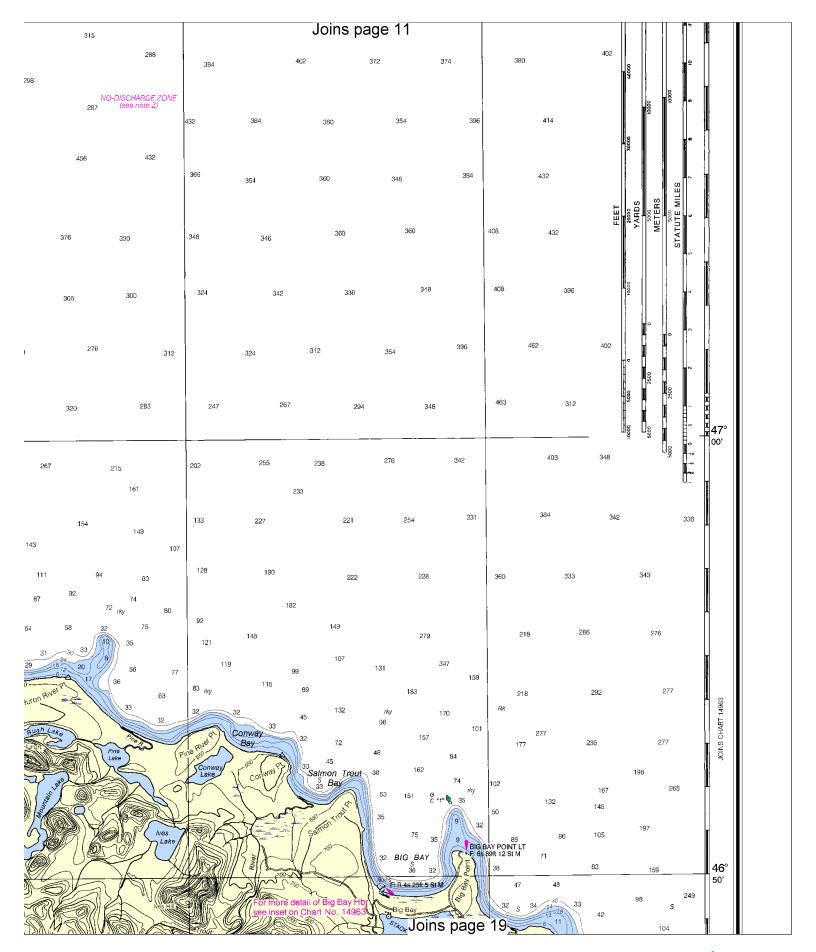


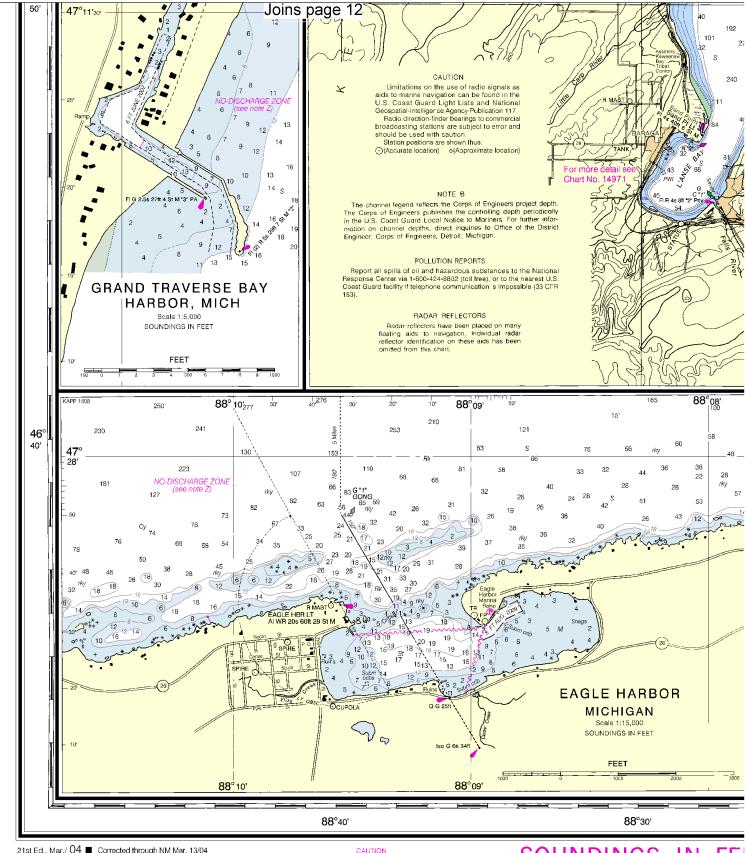










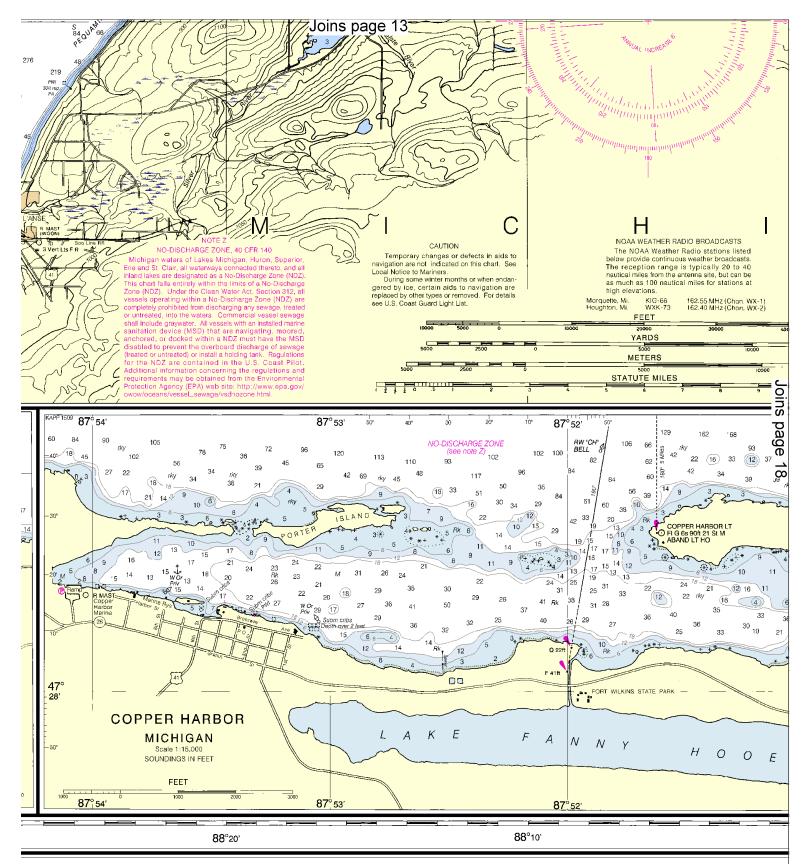


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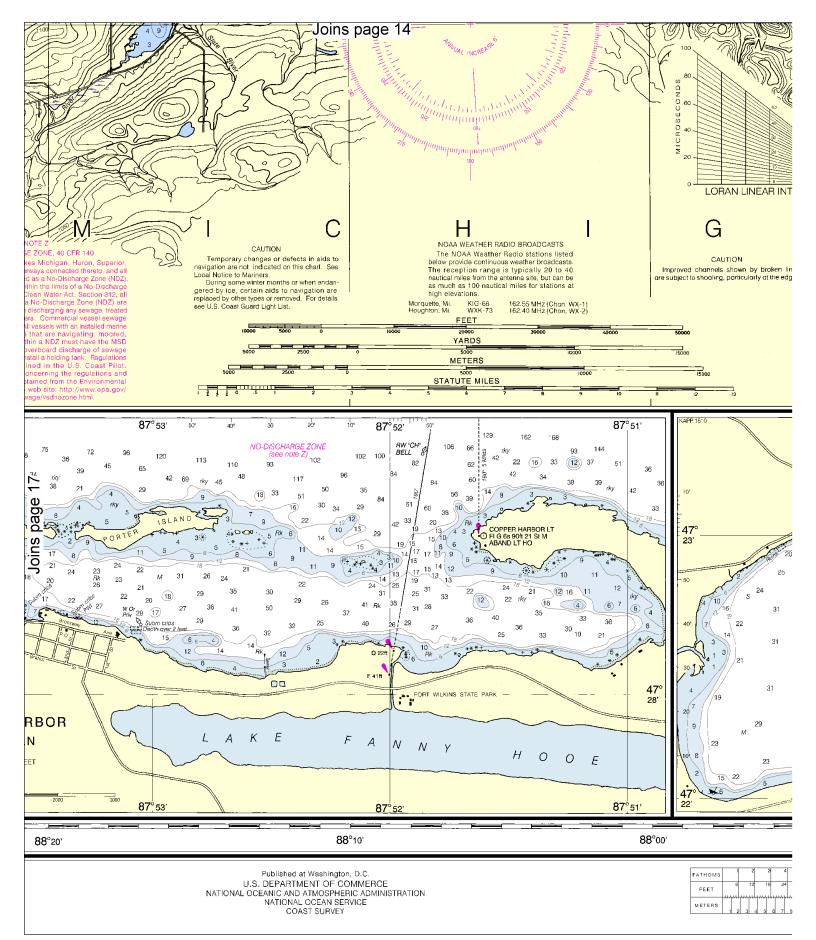
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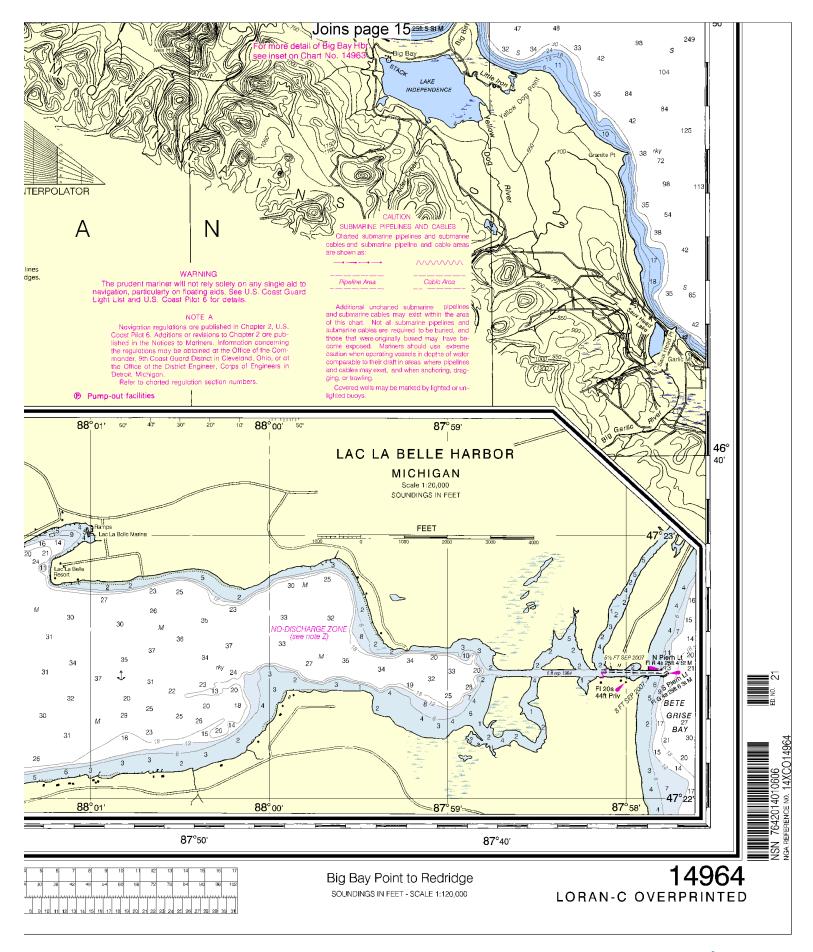




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EMERGENCY INFORMATION

VHF Marine Radio channels for use on the waterways:

Channel 6 – Inter-ship safety communications.

Channel 9 – Communications between boats and ship-to-coast.

Channel 13 – Navigation purposes at bridges, locks, and harbors.

Channel 16 – Emergency, distress and safety calls

to Coast Guard and others, and to initiate calls to other vessels. Contact the other vessel, agree to another channel, and then switch.

Channel 22A – Calls between the Coast Guard and the public. Severe weather warnings, hazards to navigation and safety warnings are broadcast here.

Channels 68, 69, 71, 72 & 78A – Recreational boat channels.

Distress Call Procedures

- 1. Make sure radio is on.
- 2. Select Channel 16.
- 3. Press/Hold the transmit button.
- 4. Clearly say: "MAYDAY, MAYDAY, MAYDAY."
- Also give: Vessel Name and/or Description; Position and/or Location; Nature of Emergency; Number of People on Board.
- 6. Release transmit button.
- Wait for 10 seconds If no response Repeat MAYDAY Call.

HAVE ALL PERSONS PUT ON LIFE JACKETS!!

Mobile Phones – Call 911 for water rescue.

Coast Guard Search & Rescue (RCC) – 216-902-6117

Coast Guard S & R (Sault Ste Marie) – 906-635-3230

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